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REQUEST FOR SUPPLEMENTAL NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY

Applicant respectfully requests issuance of a Supplemental Notice of Allowability acknowledging Applicant's claim for foreign priority and acknowledging receipt of the priority document from the International Bureau in parent Application Serial No. 09/530,325. Among the papers furnished to the U.S. PTO by WIPO is a certified copy of the priority application. Accordingly, it is believed that claim for benefit of priority has been perfected in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

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